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MINERS MAKE A SCALE

PROVIDES FOR TEN PERCENT INCREASE.

This Will Rule on the Run of the Mine Basis With the Old Differential for Machine and Hand Work—Salaries of Officers are Fixed by Convention—Assessment for Pending Strikes.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 28.—The miners' convention agreed upon the scale recommended in secret session, which was for a general advance for bituminous mining of 10 per cent on the "run of the mine" basis; a differential of 7 cents—the old figure—between pick and machine mining; 15 cents a day increase for inside drivers and a uniform scale for all outside labor.

Official Salaries.

The proposition restricting the mining states was adopted as reported yesterday. The salary list was fixed as follows:

President	\$1,800
Vice president	1,400
Secretary-Treasurer	1,500
Editor of Journal	1,200

It was decided to levy an assessment of 10 cents per month for the benefit of the strikes now in progress.

Iowans in Quandary.

The Iowa delegates met to consider whether they would leave for home before the point conference. No definite action was taken, but it is stated that many Iowa people would leave for home upon the adjournment of the delegate convention.

THEY FEAR CORN FAMINE.

Iowa Stockmen Alarmed Over Condition Resulting from Cold Wave and Fodder Shortage.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 28.—The cold weather and a scarcity of corn have occasioned alarm among the stockmen as to the possibility of a corn famine. Feeders are complaining that they are unable to secure sufficient for immediate purposes. Hay is also difficult to obtain even at the prevailing prices.

In southern Iowa the corn supply is very short and stock men are preparing to ship stock abroad for feeding while much of the stock has been marketed before fattened.

COUNTY BURIAL FOR SUICIDE.

Father of Harry J. Zeigler Refuses to Accept Remains of Principal in Tragedy.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Refusal of burial as an army officer and unaccepted by his father at Lancaster, Pa., the remains of "Dr." Harry J. Zeigler, who killed his wife and committed suicide on Monday, will be turned over to the county officials for a pauper's burial unless another message is received from the dead man's parent.

FIGHT DUEL WITH KNIVES.

Two Indiana Citizens Engage in Combat and One Falls Fatally Wounded.

Crawfordsville, Ind., Jan. 28.—Arch Gentry and Charles Groszcarp, living near Linden, fought a duel with knives until Gentry fell from wounds that may result fatally.

ILLINOIS MAN KILLED IN FIGHT.

Greenup, Ill., Jan. 28.—Owen Fesler, residing ten miles northwest of this place, was instantly killed last night by James Dow in a fight. The coroner's jury acquitted Dow, rendering a verdict of self-defense.

COLOR LINE ON A JURY.

Negro Jurors Will Try Case Against Defendant of the Same Race.

Shelbyville, Ind., Jan. 28.—For the first time, probably, in the history of Indiana, a jury of colored men is trying a negro. The defendant is William Logwood, charged with burglary of the home of Robert Smith, also colored. Logwood was captured after having been beaten nearly to death by members of the Smith family. He asked for a jury of colored men.

SERIOUS FIRE AT DAVENPORT.

Flames Destroyed a Large Part of the Bettendorf Axle Works in That City.

Davenport, Jan. 30.—The third great fire to visit the city within the past eight months came Tuesday and destroyed a portion of the plant of the Bettendorf Axle works, causing a property loss close to \$100,000, and almost equally serious damage in loss of time to the plant and of wages to the employees during the time the factory will have to be comparatively idle, awaiting completion of repairs.

VIEW OF BOSTON EXPERT.

Bernon Briggs Inclined to Doubt the Sanity of the Slayer of the President.

Boston, Jan. 28.—In a lengthy paper compiled after a scientific investigation extending over several months with evidence of 50 or 60 persons, and facts gathered in Cleveland, Buffalo and Auburn, Bernon Briggs of Boston concludes that the case of Czolgosz, the assassin, "furnishes more grounds for diagnosis of insanity than for diagnosis of sanity."

REPUBLICANS FAVOR CAUTION

They Assert That No Officer Should be Condemned Without a Fair Hearing.

Washington, Jan. 27.—An animated and prolonged discussion was precipitated in the senate today over the right of army officers to criticize the utterances made in the senate or elsewhere on the conduct of affairs in the Philippines. At times it became somewhat acrimonious, the officers in the Philippines being taken sharply to task for statements attributed to them in the dispatches from Manila.

Dubois Opens Debate.

Rising to a question of privilege early in the session Senator Dubois of Idaho had read an Associated Press dispatch from Manila in which General Wheaton was quoted as criticizing some of the utterances of Prof. Schurman in a speech delivered in Boston.

Senator Dubois thought the president, under the circumstances, would be warranted in reprimanding General Wheaton for his criticisms. He declared that such comment upon the action of the senate was "outrageous and indecent," and that the minority had had quite enough of threats and blackmail.

Wide Range to Discussion.

The debate, thus precipitated, took a wide range. Senators Lodge of Massachusetts, Spooner of Wisconsin and others maintained that no newspaper utterance ought to be accepted as the basis for a reprimand of an officer unless it were supported by investigation indicating the accuracy of the report. Rising to speak on the pending question Senator Money of Mississippi delivered an extended speech, in the course of which he went pretty thoroughly over the whole Philippine question.

Platt's View.

Senator Platt of Connecticut took up the issue with the Mississippi senator on some of his conclusions as to constitutional law, contending that the United States could not be expected to grant independence to the Filipinos and relinquish all rights in the islands merely because of the natives' desire for liberty.

Minority Philippine Report.

Senator Carmack today submitted the minority report from the committee on the Philippine tariff. It says that the opposition to the measure is not based on the mere question of revenue or a theory concerning the forms and principles of taxation, but because the bill violates constitutional rights and transcends the limits of constitutional power. The objection of the majority is to the whole policy of colonial empire; to the control by this government of vassal provinces; to the spirit of military aggression, and to war for the sake of spoils. The report says that the bill reported by the majority of the committee is a characteristic manifestation of such policy and spirit.

Treaty With Denmark.

The senate today in executive session reviewed the treaty with Denmark, transferring the West India possession, the exact consideration specified in the treaty is \$5,000,000.

Senator Foraker introduced a bill for the erection at Washington of a statue of the late John Sherman to cost \$50,000.

Credentials Presented.

In the senate today Senator Blackburn presented the credentials of James B. McCreary, recently elected senator from Kentucky, and Senator Hanna presented the credentials of his colleague, General Foraker.

PEACE OVERTURES ARE MADE.

Submits Proposal to Great Britain Looking to Cessation of War in South Africa.

London, Jan. 28.—The reports relative to the peace overtures have caused a sensation in the lobbies of parliament. Lord Rosebery is generally credited with having brought about the movement on the part of the Dutch government. It is regarded as certain that the present movement was inspired by the Boer delegates.

Those acquainted with the Boer sentiments assert that Fischer, Wolmarans and Generals Schalk-Burger and Botha are willing to recognize British annexation, while Kruger, Leyds, DeWet and Steyn still insist upon independence. Therefore, at present, it is considered hopeless to arrive at any agreed basis for negotiations.

USES REVOLVER IN COURT.

Girl, Beaten in Case in South Dakota, Attempts to Shoot Defendant and Self.

Geddes, S. D., Jan. 27.—A sensational attempt at murder and suicide occurred in the court house at Wheeler, S. D., today. Clyde Pattison was discharged in the case brought against him by Miss A. Seidler, the state having failed to prove his guilt. As he turned to leave the room the girl drew a revolver and began firing, the first shot taking effect in Pattison's back. Several other shots were fired, causing a panic. Seeing her victim fall, the young woman turned the weapon against herself and inflicted a serious wound. The physician is unable to determine whether the woman and her victim are fatally hurt, but his opinion is that both will recover.

Farrington Murder Trial on.

Adrian, Mich., Jan. 27.—The trial of J. B. Farrington of Milan for the murder, several weeks ago, of Jesse Hooker of this city, whom he discovered in Mrs. Farrington's room and fatally shot, was begun here today. Congressman Henry C. Smith is one of Farrington's counsel. The case will be a hard-fought one, and it is expected that several days will be occupied in securing a jury.

Bessemer Ore Price Fixed.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 25.—The Bessemer Ore association finished its work today, and fixed the base price for all old range Bessemer ores at \$4.25, the same as last year's price. Non-Bessemer and Mesaba will sell 25 to 35 cents a ton higher than last year.

THE NEWS CONDENSED.

MATTERS OF INTEREST FROM VARIOUS LOCALITIES.

General Happenings of the Past Few Days Taken from the Wires and Condensed to Suit—Of Interest to All Who Wish to Know What Has Been Going On in This and Other Countries.

John L. Crowe of Keithsburg, Ill., was killed by a falling tree.

Improvement is noted in the condition of State Treasurer Williamson of Illinois.

Safe blowers looted the New Ross, Ind., postoffice, securing \$200 in money and stamps.

Timothy C. Harrington, member of parliament, has been re-elected lord mayor of Dublin.

Natural gas was found while digging a well on the farm of W. N. Evans near Emporia, Kan.

President Mitchell and other national officers were re-elected by the United Mine Workers of America.

Rev. Dr. O. D. Hatch of Manchester, N. H., has received a call to the Baptist church of Hinsdale, Mich.

John and Samuel Vail, brothers, are under arrest at Metropolis, Ill., charged with passing counterfeit money.

Hampton Wynn, colored, was hanged at Marianna, Fla., for the murder of Eugene Gaston, another negro.

Acting Governor Steele of Nebraska has issued a proclamation designating Jan. 29 as McKinley memorial day.

Deputy Sheriff Edward Martin of Ferguson county shot and killed Bud Tyler, a horse thief, near Gilt Edge, Mont.

Earthquake shocks were felt in St. Louis Friday, as far north as Quincy and on the west in towns about Kansas City.

Woman tells state's attorney at Springfield she is daughter of Abraham Lincoln and asks his aid in establishing identity.

Illinois mining board charges attempt to bribe President Newsam by a Will county applicant for a certificate as mine manager.

The Ohio supreme court decides in "black list" case that right of employer to employ or discharge men cannot be questioned, nor can his motives be considered.

Police authorities at St. Louis have so far failed to unravel the mystery surrounding the murder of Millionaire Cooper in the Vista bathhouse Wednesday night.

Mrs. Richardson, accused of the murder of her husband, a Missouri merchant on witness stand denies guilt and declares she does not know who committed the crime.

The next convention of the Illinois Society of Engineers and Surveyors will be held in Aurora. That city won in a spirited fight over Peoria, Bloomington, Champaign and East St. Louis.

The Yosemite club has decided to indefinitely postpone the proposed Jeffries-Sharkey fight. The chief reason given is the unsatisfactory ending of the recent Sharkey-Maher fight at Philadelphia.

Coroner's jury finds New York Central railroad responsible for the recent tunnel disaster and charges officials with faulty management. Engineer and fireman of wrecked train are discharged.

The bearers of the ransom of Miss Ellen M. Stone and Mme. Tsilka, having with them \$2,500, reached Demir-Hissar (Roumelia) Jan. 21, and proceeded to the mountains on horseback, accompanied by a strong escort.

Both the civil and military authorities at Manila deprecate the publication in the Philippines of Prof. Schurman's Boston speech and the minority report in the senate on the Philippine tariff bill, which, they say, are likely to have a bad effect on the Filipinos.

Cables from Paris tell of the death of Miss Anna Nordheim Benjamin. Miss Benjamin was the first American woman in Santiago and was the first to get the confidence of the Filipino women in Manila and get them to talk on the war from their viewpoint. She had twice been around the world.

A report has reached Panama that the forces under the Colombian general, Castro, had an engagement with the troops under the revolutionary leader, General Herrera, in the neighborhood of Agua Dulce (in the vicinity of Las Tablas, on the Azuro peninsula, south-west of Panama), in which the revolutionary forces were defeated.

An advance in wages of locomotive engineers throughout the entire system of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railway was granted at a conference between a committee of the engineers and officials of the road held in Chicago. About 60 men are benefited by the raise, which will mean an increase in the pay rolls of the company of about \$250,000.

According to the Irish News an effort will be made to clear Tory Island, situated off the northwest coast of Ireland, County of Donegal. Wholesale ejection papers have been served upon the inhabitants of the island, who are chiefly fishermen and kelp gatherers, and who number about 300. They elect their own king and have not paid rent or taxes for many years.

A shipment of 300 prime beeves was recently made from Galveston to Liverpool as an experiment, and the cattle landed there in excellent condition. The consignment left Galveston Dec. 18 and arrived at Liverpool Jan. 8, which is said to be the quickest time yet recorded for an export cattle shipment between the two ports. The shipment was made as a test. If satisfactory, it will be followed by others.

The National Butchers' Protective association, organized in local, state and national bodies, and having a membership of 23,000, was represented by 150 delegates in a national convention in St. Louis this week. In the course of the proceedings resolutions were adopted calling an international convention of butchers in St. Louis in 1903.

The condition of Prof. Rudolf Virchow, the eminent pathologist of Berlin, who injured his thigh by a fall when alighting from a street car the early part of this month, causes apprehension among his physicians. The professor is growing weaker as a result of the accident.

The rate of discount of the Bank of England has been reduced from 4 to 3 1/2 per cent.

An appraisal of the estate of Charles H. Hoyt, playwright, shows that he left personally amounting to \$125,380.

President Ripley of the Santa Fe has filed a foreclosure suit for \$80,000 against the Galesburg Paving Brick company.

The Indiana Republican state central committee re-elected James P. Goodrich of Winchester chairman. Goodrich's election was unanimous.

"Pack" Williams, employed at the Indianapolis foundry, was found to have smallpox. It is said 400 employees of the foundry company were exposed.

President Day of the McKinley National Memorial association has received from Joseph Jefferson, the actor, a check for \$100 to be added to the memorial fund.

"America's prosperity is increasing and has come to stay," said Charles T. Yerkes, who has sailed for London to carry out his contract for the underground electric road.

There is a report in Newport that Alfred G. Vanderbilt is soon to follow the example of other rich New Yorkers and join the list of those who have removed to Rhode Island.

Mrs. B. Morrill has just been married in Dawson to G. A. Morrison after a trip of 1,500 miles from Seattle. She traveled 500 miles in a sleigh over the perilous White Pass trail.

Mrs. Frederic Lucere, who as Camillo Urso was famous for fifty years in Europe and America as a violinist, died in New York last week. She was born in Nantes, France, June 18, 1842.

Chancellor James R. Day of Syracuse university announced last week that John D. Rockefeller had given the university \$100,000, which will be applied on the endowment fund.

Secretary Gage will leave Washington for Palm Beach, Fla., on Feb. 3, and will rest there about three weeks. Further than this Secretary Gage will say nothing of his plans for the future.

George F. Stone, a brother of Miss Ellen M. Stone, who is held a captive in Bulgaria, died suddenly at the Massachusetts general hospital of pneumonia, aged 63. He was a veteran of the civil war.

Indian Agent Schoenfelt has received instructions from the secretary of the interior to refuse all applications for permits to hunt in the Indian Territory. Abuses of privileges is the reason given.

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Frederick F. Ames, who has been one of the best known traders on the New York Stock Exchange, sold his seat on the exchange last week to Henry Heisler for \$78,000, \$2,000 under the last record price.

Principal A. M. Cannon of Tower Hill High school at Pana, Ill., has suspended ten members of the senior class for snowballing on the school grounds. The seniors, with one exception, refused to submit.

Two thousand Indians on the Onondaga reservation near Green Bay, Wis., are in great need and in danger of an impending smallpox epidemic. Since the appearance of smallpox Christmas their affairs have grown worse.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the American Steel corporation, stated in Berlin the other day that after his visit to Berlin he would start at once for the United States, whether he had been summoned on pressing business.

Senator Morgan last week introduced a bill placing Gen. James Longstreet on the retired list of the army with the rank of major. The rank he held when he entered the service of the confederacy at the beginning of the civil war.

John S. Farr, a wealthy man, prominently known politically over West Virginia, was sentenced to two years in the state penitentiary for manslaughter. He killed Owen Ross in Huntington last summer in a street fight.

Charles Bright, the American civil engineer who was arrested in London, on a debtor's warrant, was charged in the city court with concealing part of his property with intent to defraud his creditors. He was admitted to bail.

At Gibson Station, near Memphis, Tenn., Herbert Hill, aged 30 years, coughed up a copper cent which he had swallowed when a child, 12 years of age. The coin lodged in the boy's throat and at times has given him trouble in swallowing.

Crown Prince Frederick Wilhelm narrowly escaped a disaster on his railway journey from Bonn to Berlin. A breakage in the track caused a piece of the rail to stand up in front of the approaching train. A track walker noticed it in time.

Fifty men were imported Thursday by the B. & O. Southwestern railway company to take the places of strikers at Washington, Ind. The men were secured through the St. Louis employment agency. When the men arrived and learned a strike was on 25 of them refused to go to work.

Mrs. Albert Royal Delmont, formerly Miss Belle Mulhall, a noted St. Louis beauty, is in New York City making arrangements to go on the stage to make good the losses of her husband, who has been a broker of fortune and misfortune in St. Louis, Chicago and New York for a number of years.

James H. Hickman, aged 70 years, dropped dead while attending revival services at the Hamilton Methodist Episcopal church, near Morgantown, Ind. He was singing "Rock of Ages," and had just finished the last line, where it says "Let me hide myself in Thee," when he fell lifeless before the altar.

George B. Page of Rome, Italy, a noted financier of Europe, is in Washington. He is at present manager of the Italian Commercial bank, one of the most substantial institutions of its kind on the continent, but was born in Washington, leaving that city with his parents when but a boy.

EXPLOSION IN IOWA MINE

MANY LIVES LOST IN COAL SHAFT NEAR OSKALOOSA.

Twenty-one Miners Killed—Bodies of Victims Found Horribly Burned—Disaster Caused by Dust Explosion—Tremendous Shock Tears Up Track and Jams Cars in the Cages, Cutting Off Escape of Men.

Oskaloosa, Ia., Jan. 25.—As a result of a terrible mine disaster at Lost Creek yesterday afternoon 21 dead are in an improvised morgue and eight of the injured are in a temporary hospital. The dead are:

Victims of Explosion.

JOE JASPERS.
FRANK JASPERS.
JIM STOHL.
SYLVESTER CREIGHTON.
JOE BERTO.
ANDY PASH.
FRANK SECRESS.
JOHN MARTIN.
JOHN BIROS.
MIKE HEAHA.
JACK MANLEY.
MIKE FOX, JR.
MIKE FOX, SR.
BOONE FISH.
RUSS FISH.
A. B. CREWS.
JACK WALTER.
DAVE WALTER.
SAM HUMPHREY.
JIM HUMPHREY.
ALEXANDER GRAY.

List of the Injured.

The injured, most of them seriously, are: Ed. Secress, Ed. Swanson, Jonas Mable, Olive Mable, John Jerkin, William Harvey, George Gogo and Harry Derrock.

Dust Explosion.

The explosion occurred at the noon hour, and was what is known as a dust explosion. The miners had just fired the usual noon shots and one proved to be a fizzle. The burning powder ignited the gas, and an explosion followed. The smoke and debris were blown out of the shaft 200 feet high. Part of the top of the works was torn away, and the fans and cages were partially wrecked.

This made the work of rescue very slow, and it was 3 o'clock before the volunteers dared to venture into the east entry where the explosion occurred. When they fought their way in, a horrible sight greeted them.

Victims Were Terribly Burned.

The dead and injured were terribly burned and mutilated, some of them all most beyond recognition. Fire, which at first was feared would prove destructive to the entire mine, had broken out, and this added terror to the spectacle. The flames were finally controlled, and after several of the rescue party had succumbed to the fumes all the dead were found and carried to the top of the shaft.

Hundred Men in Mine.

At the time of the explosion more than 100 men were in the mines, but all except those in the east entry escaped with slight injury.

The total property damage was about \$10,000.

Monument for Wapello.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 24.—The Burlington road has decided to erect a monument over the grave of Wapello, one of the great chiefs of the Sac and Fox nation, buried near Agency, Ia. A shaft will be erected to commemorate the memory of the chief who once ruled over the greater part of Iowa.

LATE MARKETS BY WIRE.

Chicago Grains.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Flour.—The market was quiet.
Wheat.—The market was active, with a large volume of trade, the market being unsettled and closing lower. May opened at 78 3/4; highest, 78 3/4; lowest, 77 3/4; closed, 77 3/4.

Corn.—The market was active, but weakened and closed lower. May opened at 61 3/4; highest, 62 1/4; lowest, 60 3/4; closed, 61 3/4.

Cash on Flax—Cash N. W. \$1.70 1/4 bid; Cash S. W. \$1.65 1/2 bid; May, \$1.71 1/4 bid.
Close on Rye—May, 50 1/2 bid.
Receipts—Flour, 37 cars; wheat, 90 cars; corn, 62 cars; oats, 141 cars.

Shipments—Flour, 22 cars; wheat, 52 cars; corn, 116 cars; oats, 142 cars.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Cattle—About 21,000 head have been marketed here today against 18,056 head last Monday. There was a fair demand from all classes of buyers, and as the supply was not over large for Monday prices were mostly steady to strong. Good 1 prime steers, \$5.00; 2 prime, \$4.90; 3 prime, \$4.80; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.50; heifers, \$2.50 to \$4.50; calves, \$2.50 to \$4.50; cows, \$1.00 to \$1.50; Texans, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Hogs.—The week starts off with estimated receipts today of 40,000 head compared with 36,197 head last Monday. The demand was active this morning, prices ruling steady to 5c lower. The later sales were 5c to 10c lower. Heavy, \$3.30 to \$3.50; light, \$3.50 to \$3.60; mixed, \$3.50 to \$3.60.

Sheep.—The market was active from the start but there was no considerable advance in prices over Saturday's close. The arrivals were just about what was expected—22,000 head. Sheep, \$3.75 to \$5.00; lambs, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Butter.—The market was steady. Creameries, 15 1/2 to 16 1/2; dairies, 14 1/2 to 15 1/2.
Eggs.—The market was firm at 24 1/2.
Poultry.—The market was steady. Turkeys, 90 to 125; chickens, 70 to 90.
Ribs—Short and clear sides, \$5.70 to \$6.80.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Jan. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; No. 2 red Western winter, 6 1/4; No. 1 Northern spring was steady at 6 1/2. Corn—Spot was quiet. American mixed, old, 5 1/2 to 6 1/4.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 28.—Wheat—Cash, 73 1/2; May, 74 1/2 to 75 1/2; July, 76 1/2 to 77 1/2.
On track—No. 1 hard, 76 1/4; No. 1 Northern, 73 1/2; No. 2 Northern, 72 1/2.

Danish Island Treaty Signed.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The treaty session of the Danish West Indies from Denmark to the United States was signed at the state department today by Secretary Hay and Danish Minister Brun. The treaty will be submitted to the senate for ratification immediately.

FOR THE MCKINLEY MEMORIAL.

United Mine Workers' Convention Makes Appropriation for the Testimonial Fund.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 24.—The United Mine Workers' convention today re-elected the following officers without contest:

President—John Mitchell.
Vice President—T. L. Lewis.
Secretary and Treasurer—W. E. Wilson.

The convention this afternoon, on motion of President Mitchell, voted \$500 to the McKinley memorial fund. The recommendations in President Mitchell's annual report were referred to the various committees.

FATALITIES IN FAR NORTH.

Steamer from Alaska Brings Reports of Many Violent Deaths in Gold Country.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 25.—Two assaults by robbers, three accidental deaths, the passing of a prominent Dawson resident and three people injured by other means, is the list of fatalities from Alaska by the steamer Alki.

James Murphy of Wrangle fell over a cliff on Traders' island, and plunged to his death 100 feet down a rocky chasm. Charles Nelson was killed in a mine on Chicago Hill, Dawson, Dec. 29.

Andrew Forstburg was killed in the Mexican mine on Douglas island, on Jan. 11, and Harry Gilbert was seriously injured at the same mine on Jan. 9.

Joseph Lieberman fell from the railroad tracks near Douglas on the night of Jan. 12, and was seriously, and perhaps fatally, injured.

Eva Williams was assaulted in a Dawson saloon on the night of Jan. 11, by a man known as Harry Forbes, and possibly fatally injured.

F. N. Sattley and James Pianetti were assaulted and robbed on Douglas island on Jan. 11, and received serious injuries.

W. A. Sparks, a leading citizen of Dawson, died at St. Mary's hospital in that place.

SHUTS DOWN THE SHOPS.

Railway Strike at Washington, Ind., Leads to Action by Railway Superintendent.